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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For: TYRE FOR VEHICLE WHEELS  
WITH IMPROVED BEAD  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above-captioned application, please amend this application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification, as follows:

Add two section headings, a section subheading, and a paragraph immediately after the title TYRE FOR VEHICLE WHEELS WITH IMPROVED BEAD STRUCTURE, as follows:

**--CROSS-REFERENCES TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**